## **CHAPTER NO. 172**

#### **SENATE BILL NO. 509**

#### By Ford, Burchett

Substituted for: House Bill No. 675

# By Kent

AN ACT to amend Tennessee Code Annotated, Title 63, Chapter 17, relative to hearing instruments.

### BE IT ENACTED BY THE GENERAL ASSEMBLY OF THE STATE OF TENNESSEE:

SECTION 1. Tennessee Code Annotated, Section 63-17-111(g), is amended by inserting the following language and punctuation between the language "equivalent," and the word "or" in the second line of that subsection:

or holds a doctor of audiology degree (AuD) from an accredited institution of higher learning and has passed the examination required for licensure under § 63-17-110(b)(2),

SECTION 2. This act shall take effect July 1, 2003, the public welfare requiring it.

**PASSED: May 8, 2003** 

JOHN S. WILDER SPEAKER OF THE SENATE

JIMMY NAIFEH, SPEAKER JSE OF REPRESENTATIVES

APPROVED this 22<sup>nd</sup> day of May 2003

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